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SUBJECT: ARA NARCOTICS COORDINATORS CONFERENCE

1. AN ARA-WIDE NARCOTICS COORDINATORS CONFERENCE HAS BEEN  
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SCHEDULED FOR OCTOBER 10-11 IN MEXICO CITY. AMBASSADOR  
VANCE, DEPUTY ASSISTANT SECRETARY SHLAUDEMANN AND DEA AD-  
MINISTRATOR BARTELS ARE PLANNING TO PARTICIPATE, AS ARE

REPRESENTATIVES OF OTHER USG AGENCIES ON THE INTER-AGENCY  
NARCOTICS CONTROL COMMITTEE IN WASHINGTON.

2. THIS WILL BE THE FIRST OF FOUR REGIONAL NARCOTICS CON-  
FERENCES TO BE HELD DURING THE COMING MONTHS THROUGHOUT THE  
WORLD. IT WILL PROVIDE ANOTHER OPPORTUNITY FOR EMBASSY  
NARCOTICS COORDINATORS AND THE WASHINGTON PARTICIPANTS TO  
REVIEW IN DEPTH DEVELOPMENTS AND PROBLEMS IN THE INTER-  
NATIONAL NARCOTICS EFFORT.

3. TWO GENERAL AREAS THAT SHOULD RECEIVE SPECIAL ATTENTION  
AT THE CONFERENCE ARE: (1) THE GROWTH OF DEA'S PRESENCE  
AND ROLE IN LATIN AMERICA AND DEA-COUNTRY TEAM RELATION-  
SHIPS IN THIS CONTEXT, AND (2) THE GROWING INTEREST IN  
SEVERAL LATIN AMERICAN COUNTRIES IN PREVENTION, TREATMENT,  
AND REHABILITATION PROGRAMS. THESE ARE NOT EXCLUSIVE, AND  
OTHER RELATED ITEMS WILL ALSO BE ON THE AGENDA.

WE WILL WELCOME YOUR SUGGESTIONS AND VIEWS ON TOPICS THAT  
SHOULD BE DISCUSSED AT THE CONFERENCE. WE WOULD APPRECIATE  
YOUR COMMENTS BY SEPTEMBER 20 TO PERMIT COMPLETION OF A  
DETAILED AGENDA FOR TRANSMISSION TO THE FIELD PRIOR TO THE  
CONFERENCE.

4. POSTS ARE REQUESTED TO SEND THEIR NARCOTICS COORDI-  
NATORS TO THE CONFERENCE. THE EMBASSY IN MEXICO HAS A  
BLOCK OF HOTEL ROOMS RESERVED AT THE MARIA ISABEL SHERATON  
FOR THE NIGHTS OF OCTOBER 9, 10, AND 11. PLEASE REPORT THE  
NAME OF YOUR REPRESENTATIVE BY CABLE, WITH AMEMBASSY  
MEXICO AS INFORMATION ADDRESSEE, INCLUDING WHETHER HOTEL  
RESERVATIONS ARE REQUIRED. ARA WILL ISSUE THE COORDINATORS'  
TRAVEL ORDERS UPON RECEIPT OF THEIR NAMES. KISSINGER

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